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Measure	Seattle Sex Survey (SSS) (heterosexual men and women)	Urban Men's Health Study (UMHS) (MSM)	Seattle MSM RDD (SEA-RDD) (MSM)
Age at sexual debut (with any partner)	*How old were you the first time you engaged in sexual activity (vaginal, oral, or anal)? (Q9)	*How old were you the first time you had sex of any kind with a male? (Q73)  *How old were you the first time you had sex of any kind with a female? (Q76a)	n/a
	Additional explanation: n/a	Additional explanation: Calculated the minimum age at first sex.	Additional explanation: n/a
Age at sexual debut (with male	n/a	*How old were you the first time you had sex of any kind with a male? (Q73)	*How old were you when you first had sex with another man? (Q186, 2006 only)
partner)	Additional explanation: n/a	Additional explanation: n/a	Additional explanation: n/a
	n/a	*How old were you the first time you had insertive anal intercourse with anyone? (Q79a)	*How old were you when you first had anal sex with another man? (Q188, 2006 only)
Age at sexual debut (anal sex with any/male partner)		*How old were you the first time you had receptive anal intercourse? (Q80)	
	Additional explanation: n/a	Additional explanation: Calculated the minimum age at first anal sex with any partner.	Additional explanation: n/a

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Number of partners (lifetime)	*With about how many people have you engaged in sexual activity in your lifetime? (Q10)	*Before you turned 18, how many people did you have sex with? (Q67a, Q67b/c/d - ballpark estimate)  *From your 18th birthday to the present, how many people have you had sex with? (Q69a, Q69b/c/d - ballpark estimate)	n/a
	Additional explanation: n/a	Additional explanation: Summed number of partners before and after age 18. Variable was coded as missing if either value was missing.	Additional explanation: n/a
Number of partners (past year)	*In the past 12 months, from (month) 2002 until now, with how many people have you engaged in sexual activity? (Q14)	*In the past 12 months, how many men have you had sex with? (Q15a)  *In the past 12 months, how many women have you had sex with? (Q16a)	Q81 - In the last 12 months, how many different men have you had sex with?
	Additional explanation: n/a	Additional explanation: Summed the number of male and female partners.	Additional explanation: Included only male partners.
Partnership formation and cessation of new	*On what date (month/day/year) did you first engage in sexual activity with <partner>? (Q30, Q31, Q32 - asked for up to 5 most recent partners)</partner>	*Were you having sex with <partner> anytime prior to the past 12 months? (Q34 - asked for up to 4 most recent partners)  *How long in total have you been having sex with <partner>? (Q35)</partner></partner>	*How long ago did you first have anal sex with him (partner)? (Q109 - asked for up to 3 most recent male anal sex partners)
partner recruitment (time since the start of last partnership)	Additional explanation: As described in Nelson et al (Ann Epidemiol 2010), missing start date data were imputed. Using all available partnerships, calculated the time since the start of the most recently formed partnership.	Additional explanation: Using all available partnerships, estimated the time since the start of the most recently formed partnership. If the answer to the question above was 'no', this indicated that the partnership was new in the past year.	·

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No sex in the past year	*Have you ever engaged in sexual activity that is oral, vaginal, or anal intercouse? (Q8)  *In the past 12 months, with how many people have you engaged in sexual activity? (Q14)	*In the past 12 months did you have sex with only men, only women, both men and women, or did not have sex in the last 12 month? (Q14)	, ,
	Additional explanation: n/a	Additional explanation: n/a	Additional explanation: Included only male partners.
Years of new partner acquisition (time between sexual debut and	at sexual debut (see above).	Calculated the difference between time since the start of the most recently formed partnership (see above) and age at sexual debut with any partner (see above).	Calculated the difference between time since the start of the most recently former male anal sex partnership (see above) and age at sexual debut with a male partner (see above, 2006 data only).
most recently formed partnership)	Additional explanation: Restricted to participants who reported any sexual partner in the past year.	Additional explanation: Restricted to participants who reported any male sexual partner in the past year.	Additional explanation: Restricted to participants who reported any male sexual partner in the past year.
	*How old would <ptnr> be today? (Q40)</ptnr>	*How old is <partner>? (Q42)</partner>	*About how old is he (partner)? (Q83)
Mixing by age (with most recent partner)	Additional explanation: Calculated if partner's age was within 5 or 10 years of participant's age at interview. Restricted to participants who reported any sexual partner in the past year.	Additional explanation: Calculated if partner's age was within 5 or 10 years of participant's age at interview. Restricted to participants who reported any male sexual partner in the past yr.	Additional explanation: Calculated if partner's age was within 5 or 10 years of participant's age at interview. Restricted to participants who reported any male sexual partner in the past yr.

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Condom use (with most recent partner)	*In a typical 4 week period when you engaged in vaginal intercourse with <partner>, how frequently did you use condoms - never, sometimes frequently, or always? (Q56 - if partnership duration &gt;4 weeks)  *All together, about how many times did you engage in vaginal intercourse with <partner>? (Q68 - if partnership duration &lt;4 weeks)  *Of the &lt;#&gt; times you engaged in vaginal intercourse with <partner>, how many times did you use a condom - never, sometimes frequently, or always? (Q69 - if partnership duration &lt;4 weeks)</partner></partner></partner>	*In the past 12 months, how many times have you had insertive/receptive anal intercourse with <partner>? (Q37/38a)  *In the past 12 months, how many times have you used condoms during insertive/receptive anal intercourse with <partner>? (Q37/38b)</partner></partner>	*When you were a bottom with him (partner), how often did you use condoms - never, sometimes, usually, or always? (Q92)  *When you were a top with him (partner), how often did you use condoms - never, sometimes, usually, or always? (Q94)
	Additional explanation: Categorized as always vs. not always. If partnership duration was <4 weeks, calculated if all acts used a condom. Restricted to participants who reported any sexual partner in the past year.	Additional explanation: Categorized as always vs. not always. Restricted to participants who reported any male sexual partner in the past year.	Additional explanation: Categorized as always vs. not always. Only includes 2006 data. Restricted to participants who reported any male sexual partner in the past year.
Sex partner concurrency (during last year)	Start and end dates includes month, day, and year. Calculated if there was any overlap between the start and end dates of partnerships that occurred at all in the past year.  Additional explanation: n/a	Start and dates included month and year. Calculated if there was any overlap between the start and end dates of partnerships that occurred at all in the past year.  Additional explanation: n/a	Start and end dates were defined by months since the partnership started and ended. Calculated if there was any overlap between the start and end dates of male anal sex partnerships that occurred at all in the past year.  Additional explanation: n/a

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	(heterosexual men and women)	(MSM)	(MSM)
	*How did you first meet <partner> - at</partner>	*Did you first meet <partner> - at a</partner>	Where did you meet <partner> - work,</partner>
	work, at school or school-related activity,	party; through a friend; at work; at a bar,	
	at church or church-related activity,	night club, or dance club; through a	gay community activity, gym, hobby or
	through personal ads or a dating service,	dating service, personal ad, or	sports activity, park or beach, party at
	on the Internet, on a vacation or	computer chat room; at a sex club or a	someone's home, circuit
	business trip, at a bar or night club, at a	bath house; through a escort or	party/dance/rave or some other party
	health club or gym, at a social	massage service, or a telephone sex	where you paid admission, personal
	organization or volunteer-service activity,	line; at a health club or gym, or social	ad/dating service, street/neighborhood,
	at a private party, through friends or	club; at school; while cruising; through	telephone sex line, Internet/online,
	family, or in some other way? (Q19)	family; at a place of worship; while	video store/adult bookstore, through a
		traveling; or some other way? (Q31)	friend, or other? (Q85)
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Partner meeting			
place	Additional explanation: Categorized as	Additional explanation: Categorized as	Additional explanation: Categorized as
(with most recent	social network (work, school, church,	social network (work, school, place of	social network (work, gay community
partner)	social organization or volunteer activity,	worship, party, friends, or family), less	activity, party at someone's home, or
	private party, friends, or family), less	formal network (dating service or	friends), less formal network (personal
	formal network (personal ads or dating	personal ads or computer chat room,	ad/dating service, Internet, bar/dance
	service, Internet, vacation, bar or night	traveling, bar or night club, gym, sex	club, gym, bath house/sex club,
	club, or gym), or other. Restricted to	club or bath house, escort service or	telephone sex line, hobby or sports
	participants who reported any sexual	telephone sex line, or while cruising), or	activity, park or beach, circuit
	partner in the past year.	other. Restricted to participants who	party/dance/rave, street/neighborhood,
	position and positions	reported any male sexual partner in the	or video store/adult bookstore), or
		past year.	other. Restricted to participants who
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